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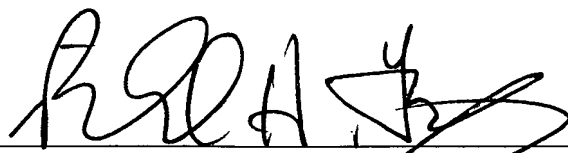
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The inventors herewith enclose (1) copy of the patent referred to on page 1 of this application, (2) copies of the patent documents listed in the International Search Report, dated 1 October 2004, (3) an English abstract of DE 3121968A, and (4) a copy of USP 4,177,146 which was cited in a U.K. Search Report relative to the U.K. priority application.

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